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REQUEST FOR RECONSIDERATION UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.116  
AND SUBMISSION OF DECLARATIONS UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.131

Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed October 30, 2005, please amend the above-identified patent application as follows:

**Amendments to the Specification:** There are no amendments to the specification in this paper.

**Amendments to the Claims:** The claims are listed beginning on page 2 of this paper with the notation “previously presented” or “original”, as may be appropriate.

**Amendments to the Drawings:** There are no amendments to the drawings in this paper.

**Remarks:** The “REMARKS” section begins on page 6 of this paper.

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